











Novelettes of 10.-Fifth Avenue.

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Copyright, 1914, by The Press Publishing Co. (The New York Evening World). Lady Margaret Ellisnor paused in Colors 30000 the vestibule. The man servant was unaccountably slow about opening the outer wrought-iron portal that screened the entrance of the Haighton mansion from Fifth avenue. She

mansion from Fifth avenue. She waited a moment, puzzled at the hesitance of his bearing.

"Connors," she said at last, "the door, please."

The tail footman turned, concern en his handsome face, usually mask-like in its passivity,

"Pardon me. I think if Your Lady-ship will wait for a moment before going out"—— He moved aside sufficiently to afford her a glimpse of a taxloab drawn up at the curb, from which, with the assistance of a grinning young man, a tottering form in bedraggied evening dress was endeavering to alight. His Lordship was coming home.

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Lady Margaret drew herself erect with a little gasp.

Thank you, Connors," she said quietly as she turned back into the lixurious foyer, with its gray stone walls, priceless tapeatries and medical priceless tapeatries and medical priceless tapeatries and medical intervant advance to the assistance of his master and stepped hastily into the white and gold reception room on the right, where, crouching behind the moire portieres, she listened to the erratic advance of her lord and master toward the haven of his bed and bath.

The ormolu clock on the mantal struck il with an attenuated silvery veoles. The sunshine streamed through the flist lace curtains at the windows, restiding the gold of the furniture and revealing the exquisite perfection of its needlepoint coverings.

Lady Margaret looked about the familiar room and sighed. The sound of stumbling steps was no longer audible. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped from the room and hastily let herself out into the avenue. She slipped sunlight and Lord Alfred war just seeking his rest after a night of debauch. Again Lady Margaret signed. It was slipped sunlight and Lord Alfred war just seeking his rest after a night of debauch. Again Lady Margaret signed. It was slipped sunlight and Lord Alfred war just seeking his rest after a night of debauch. Again Lady Margaret signed. It was slipped sunlight and Lord Alfred war just seeking his rest after a night of debauch. Again Lady Margaret slipped sunlight and Lord Alfred war



He looked down admiringly at his companion; the red bronse of her hair under the little green turban; the sea shell pink of her skin, that even late hours and conglomerate foods could not erase; the fiash of her hasel eyes, in which tiny fiscks of gold seemed to swim—they were all so familiar and dear, so full of throbbing memories. He smiled at himself, even as his look thrilled her through. How in the world, he wondered, had he ever imagined that this beautiful bit of bric-a-brac was a woman for him to love, who would, in return, love him? Why, from top to toe she was luxury personified. Of course, a title and the ceremonial shows of life were necessities for her. While he—

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Slowly Lady Margaret understood; slowly the irony of her new freedom burned in her heart. Dead! He was dead, then—the man she had come to loathe and despise. She was a widow. She was free! A dreadful laugh burst from her rigid lips. She wanted to cry out from the tortured depths of She was free! A dreadful laugh burst from her rigid lips. She wanted to cry out from the tortured depths of her agonized heart: "Oh, what's the use? What difference does it make now?" But the only sound she could make was that hideous cackling laughter. Then tears came, great, blinding tears that seemed the very death sweat of her soul.

Her mother shook her in her arms, held her close as the spaems of sobbing racked her body—comforting a grief of which she guessed nothing.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. Cotton market opened down from 4 opening a few points. In last hour

Friday's final figures. BIRTHDAY SOUVENIR.

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The rally which occurred after 10.30 A. M. did not hold, and at the end of the period trading was dull with prices back to about their opening level. While Erie was affected by weakness in New York Central, Pennsylvania was quiet and steady. California Petroleum sold off rather easily to 251-4, and the Rock Island stocks reached new low levels.

CHICAGO WHEAT AND CORN Wheat opened 1-4 higher, but the market became dull and narrow, closing unchanged.

Corn was dull and slightly lower, closing 1-4 to 3-8 net decline.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Dominion Steel Company reports earnings for quarter ended Dec. 31 after dividend \$8.780, compared with \$279,663 for previous quarter.

New York Central made slight de-crease in transportation expenses in December, though not in anything like ratio of shrinkage in revenue,

Wabash Railroad reports gross earnings for December decreased \$185,147 and net. declined \$118,737, compared with December, 1912. Six months' gross decreased \$570,978 and net declined \$464,390 when compared with previous was.

Chicago and Great Western earnings for January show increase of \$21,521, and since July 1 increase totals \$374,524, compared with same same periods year ago.

Great Northern Railroad reports de-crease in gross for January \$253,312 compared with January, 1913. Gross earnings for seven months show in-crease of \$534,263 over same period year ago.

Idle freight cars reported as (Feb. 1 were 209,678, a decrease 6,211 from Jan. 18.

LAUNCH NEW FERRYBOAT.

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 7.—The New York Shipbuilding Company launched this morning at 11.30 a new ferryboat for New York City. Miss Heien Gaynor christened the new craft in honor of her late father and the new boat will be known as Mayor Gaynor. Quite a comknown as Mayor Caynor. Quite a com-

York to witness the launching.

The new boat is 331 feet long and has a beam over all of 64 feet. Her moulded ham is 45 feet. Her depth is 18 feet 8 inches. She is of steel, with oak fittings and walls covered with fire-proofed paper. She has five water tight builkhead, and it is thought no collision would sink her. She will have fixed seats for 700 passengers and camp stools in plenty. Her regular speed is expected to be fourteen miles an hour.

CAUGHT ON CRY FOR HELP.

Had Dark Lasters and Jimmy When Policeman Grabbed Him. Policeman Buckle of the Morrisants

station and Detective Connolly heard a man shout for help from the third story window of the flathouse at No. 26216 Westchester avenue, the Bronz. early to-day and when he yelled that early to-day and when he yelled that burglars were trying to break in his back window which opened onto a fre-escape Connolly ran through the house while Bueckle ran around to the back street.

As he reached there Bueckle saw a young man hurrying out and grabbed him. There was a dark lantern in his

which was \$297,800, or about 42-10ths per cent. Maintenance of way increased \$39,000, and maintenance of equipment increased \$245,300, or 14 per cent. Total loss in operating income would have been over \$700,000 compared with previous December if it had not been for an actual credit of \$74,000 on taxes, against a debit on this account of \$355,000 in December, 1913.

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There goes another Oasis!

Abraham Lincoln Portrait FREE.

A sepis portrait of Abraham Lincoln of Clearing House banks and trust comwill be given FREE for the Coupon in to-morrow's Sunday World. (In Greater New York only.)

The statement of the actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week above that they hold \$40,658,800 reserve in excess of legal regularity. This is an increase of 215,-